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ONE CENT

NEW OPENING AT BROWNSVILLE TO BE MADE FOR VESTA MINE

Shaft to Be Sunk on Old
Thistlewaite Farm Near
West Brownsville

WILL BE KNOWN AS VESTA 6

Work to be Started at Once, Accord-
ing to Officials in Charge—Rumor-
ed That Operations Will Begin at
No. 5.

Another large mine outlet is to be
located near Brownsville in the early
future, according to a story from
Brownsville. The old Thistlewaite
farm, located on the west side of the
river, and owned by the Jones and
Laughlin Steel company of Pittsburgh,
has been staked off for the sinking of
a shaft. Work will begin next week
according to reports of officials in
charge of the construction work.

The new mine will be known as a
Vesta No. 6 and will serve as an out-
let and also a drainage for Vesta No.
5 and Vesta No. 4. Most of the coal
is now hauled for miles to the outlet
of Vesta No. 4, near California, but
will be shipped from the new mine.

Vesta No. 4 is one of the largest
soft coal mines in the world and em-
ploys 1,500 men in its daily opera-
tion. Its output is one acre of mined
coal daily. The main heading of the
mine is now under the town of Bealls-
ville. The coal at present is hauled
through two hills, ascending a very
steep grade and the drainage condi-
tions are very poor. The new shaft
will permit the loaded cars to be
hailed down hill instead of going
up the grade and it will be equipped
with all modern pumping devices for
draining all three mines.

The dip of the coal in Vesta Nos.
4 and 5 have made conditions such
that the new mine will be absolutely
necessary, as the coal drops as it
leaves the river. The new shaft will
relieve all the trouble that is now ex-
perienced in taking the coal to the
river.

In all probability the new plant
will employ a large number of men.
The engineer on the grounds, stated
that the working gang would begin
to sink the shaft next Monday morn-
ing.

A report from Vesta No. 5, located
near Fredericktown, will also resume
work next Monday morning. Per-
sons seeking employment in the
mines should make application to
the officials of the company at either
Vesta No. 5 or Vesta No. 6.

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COYLE THEATRE

MONDAY—VARIETY PROGRAM.

TUESDAY—PARAMOUNT.

Jesse L. Lasky presents Miss

Blanche Sweet in "The Warrens of

Virginia."

THURSDAY—PARAMOUNT.

Marshall Neilan in "The Country

Boy." 230-43

MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS ITS SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

Washington Avenue Presbyterian Wo-
men Present Interesting Program
On "World-Wide Field."

The Woman's Missionary society of
the Washington Avenue Presbyterian
church held its semi-annual open
meeting in the Sunday school room
of the church Thursday evening. The
topic for consideration was "The
World-Wide Field." Different coun-
tries were represented by the follow-
ing persons: Mrs. Davis Woodward,
Mrs. Earl Piper, Mrs. James Daw-
son, Mrs. Joseph Steck, Mr. Harry
Williams, Mrs. George Leith, Mrs.
Lynn Robertson, Mrs. George
Smith, Mrs. George Clark and Miss
Elizabeth Robertson. Solos were
sung by Miss Emma Collins and Miss
Emma Clutter. Mrs. Dolly Jeffries
gave a reading describing a mission-
ary's home in China. Mrs. John
Campbell led the society in thank-
sgiving for the blessings of the year
just closed and spoke encouraging
words for the new year's work. A so-
cial hour closed the evening's pro-
gram.

MASS MEETINGS HELD BY MINERS

President Van Bittner at
Ellsworth, Sec'y. Green
at California

MANY SPEND THE DAY HERE

At two points in the river district
the eight-hour day was celebrated by
miners Thursday. There was a big
celebration at Ellsworth that was fea-
tured by the presence of President
Van Bittner of the Fifth district,
United Mine Workers, and a celebra-
tion at California that was made no-
table by the presence of William
Green, of Ohio, the secretary-treas-
urer of the United Mine Workers.

A big mass meeting was held at
Ellsworth, attended by an immense
crowd of miners. Fred Gullick,
chairman of the local there, presided,
and the chief address was made by
President Van Bittner. Stephen Lav-
erick, a district statistician, made an
address and John Trevelski, and John
Barufeldi, organizers gave talks in
foreign languages. Music was fur-
nished by the Ellsworth band.

At California, a parade and hill
climbing contests were featured. One
of the winners of one of the most
important contests was Lowstuter of
Charleroi, in 53 1-2 seconds up the
long hill. Speeches were made by
Hon. William Green, Cornelius Le-
Hane and John Luteranick, an organ-
izer. Miners to the number of about
3,000 were there from many sur-
rounding communities. In the evening
Mrs. Breslau Fuller a well known
Socialist speaker, made an address.

In spite of the celebrations else-
where Charleroi was a popular gather-
ing place, and miners from many
sections spent the day here.

MUCH WANTED MAN IS ARRESTED FOR MURDER

Frank Cornish, Who is Alleged to Have Caused Death
of John Barentz at Shire Oaks, is Apprehended
in Westmoreland County

Ill in bed with lumbago, Frank
Cornish, who is wanted for the al-
leged murder of John Barentz at
Shire Oaks last October 10, was ar-
rested at Adamsburg near Greens-
burg in Westmoreland county Thurs-
day by Constable Elmer Jericho of
Monongahela. Cornish was taken to
the Greensburg hospital to be plac-
ed under guard, and upon his recov-
ery will be removed to the Washing-
ton county jail.

Cornish is alleged to have so kick-
ed and abused Barentz during a
fight at Shire Oaks that Barentz died
after a few days suffering. Cornish
disappeared and has not been heard
of since.

A few days ago Constable Jericho
arrested a foreigner in Monongahela

for being drunk and disorderly and
after this man had been given a hear-
ing before Alderman Ellwood he con-
fided that Cornish owed him \$150.
He wanted it paid so much he said
that he would tell the officers where
to find Cornish. Constable Jericho's
trip to Adamsburg followed, he find-
ing that Cornish there was known as
John Sawka. Cornish admitted he
was the wanted man, but stoutly
maintained that Barentz had fallen
down stairs and that he had not killed
him as reported.

It is said the arrested man belongs
to a family with a record. About six
years ago it is said a brother killed
a man at Bunola, and it is stated his
father has one mark on his gun from
a scrape in the old country.

THIRD ATTEMPT TO END HIS LIFE SUCCESSFUL

Houston Run Miner Celebrates Eight Hour Day by Im-
bibing and Then Jumps Into River—Com-
panions Unable to Save Him

A celebration in which liquor play-
ed an important part ended in the
drowning Thursday evening at
Houston Run of Joe Patrice, aged 23
and single.

Patrice with two companions lived
in a hasty boat on the river at
Houston Run. All three were em-
ployed by the Diamond Coal and
Coke company at the Houston Run
mine, and were celebrating Thurs-
day the eight-hour day. All had im-
bibed more or less of liquor.

At 7:15 o'clock they were at the
shanty boat, when Patrice jumped
off. His companions caught him just
as he went into the water and strug-
gled to save him. His shirt was torn
from his back. He sank into the wa-
ter to his death.

A half hour later his body was re-
covered by a watchman by the name
of Scamfield. It is said to have been
the third time the man tried to com-
mit suicide, he having seemingly had
an obsession to end his life while un-
der the influence of liquor.

RECOVERS MILK WAGON FOR LOCAL DAIRYMAN

Constable Jones Finds Repainted Ve-
hicle Belonging to Floyd Bonnell
And Has Man Alleged to Have Ta-
ken it Pay the Costs.

Through shrewd detective work,
Constable F. W. Jones has been able
to locate a milk wagon belonging to
Floyd Bonnell of Charleroi and to col-
lect the money from the man alleged
to have taken and sold it. The wagon
was taken from a lot where Mr. Bon-
nell left it some time ago. Lately
Mr. Jones saw a wagon he thought
was the one, and scraping off new
paint discovered it was. The North
Charleroi man in whose possession it
was explained he had bought it from
a man by the name of Sam Fred-
wood. Constable Jones brought Fred-
wood back from New Kensington and
Fredwood paid over the \$3 alleged
to have been the selling price, togeth-
er with costs. Bonnell received his
wagon and everything was lovely.

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BOY HAS CLOSE CALL IN CROSSING ACCIDENT

Bentleyville Lad is Struck by Train
And His Body Crushed—He Lives
And Latest News is That He Will
Recover.

A crossing accident that came near
being fatal to John Yatsko, aged 13,
occurred at the railroad crossing near
the Bentleyville brewery at Bentley-
ville Thursday afternoon.

Yatsko was crossing the tracks at
that point when the 4:17 north bound
passenger train approached. He was
struck and knocked about 10 yards,
and his body crushed. He was car-
ried to a drug store on North Main
street, where medical attention was
given. Later he was removed to his
home. He will be removed to a hos-
pital if his condition warrants. It
is believed he will recover.

SIXTY DAYS TO JAIL FOR WHITE LEAD THEFT

Tom Hogan was Thursday sen-
tenced to 60 days imprisonment for
the theft of 125 pounds of white lead
from a freight car on the local siding.
Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice heard
the case. It was brought out that
Hogan had hidden the white lead in
a sewer, expecting to sell it.

BETTERED CONDITIONS SHOWN IN COAL REPORT FOR MARCH

NEW MAJESTIC THEATRE OPENED
TO THE PUBLIC ON THURSDAY

Splendid New Moving Picture House
On Fallowfield Attracts Large
Crowd on First Night.

The opening of the new Majestic
theatre on Fallowfield a venue was
an event of Thursday afternoon and
evening and in response to generous
announcements, there was a big
crowd on hand at the various shows
in celebration of the occasion. The
chief film reproduced Thursday night
was a picturization of Kipling's fa-
mous poem, "A Fool There Was."
It was well produced. The new thea-
tre, beautifully decorated inside and
out, won by its appearance much
praise, and for the owners Harry C.
Hepler and C. J. Mathews hearty
congratulations. The manager, J.
H. Megown, had things in the best
of shape and even had an orchestra
play for the evening shows. Music
promises to be an attractive feature
at the new house, due to the splendid
new baby grand piano which has
been installed. Mrs. B. Kleist is the
pianist. Tonight the version of "A
Fool There Was" will be repeated to-
gether with others.

ODD FELLOWS SEAT OFFICERS

Installation Ceremonies in
Charge of District De-
puty Grant Marshal

CANDIDATES ARE INITIATED

Officers of Charleroi lodge, No. 1039
I. O. O. F. were installed Thursday
by District Deputy Grand
Marshal G. S. Fisher of Finley-
ville and a company of deputies at
the rooms of the Odd Fellows in the
Bank of Charleroi building. Elective
officers installed were J. J. Beers,
noble grand and J. R. Chalfant, vice
grand.

Appointive officers installed were:
Warden, J. M. Fleming; conductor,
Peter Parmentier; right supporter to
noble grand, John S. Crawford; left
supporter to noble grand, Edward
Bickerton; outside guardian, Charles
Bromwich; inside guardian, William
Stimpson; chaplain, Floyd Chalfant;
right supporter to vice grand, Robert
Bickerton; left supporter to vice
grand, Paul Ryland; right scene sup-
porter, Robert Cowell; left scene sup-
porter, Alfred Wildman.

After the installation lunch was
served by the social committee of the
lodge. Preceding the installation a
class of three candidates were initi-
ated by the degree team under the cap-
taincy of Ward Hendershot.

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ing to give them attention at once.
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Last Month Best in River
Coal Trade Since
Last June

TOTAL FOR QUARTER GOOD

Records for First Part of Year Ap-
proach Close to Splendid Records
For First Part of Last Year—More
Sand and Gravel Being Used.

The best river coal shipments since
last June are reported for the month
of March at Lock No. 4, furnishing a
pleasing indication of better condi-
tions in the upper Monongahela river
pools. The coal that passed through
the lock during the month was 16,-
024,000 bushels, bringing the total for
the first quarter of the year up to
44,068,000 bushels, a little more than
one million bushels short of the first
quarter's record for last year.

Lockmaster George W. Paxton
gave out the report this morning. The
up stream figures were as follows:
Lockages 635, steamers 326, crafts
1,252, sand 13,000 bushels, gravel 90,
000 bushels. Down stream records
for the month were: Lockages 632,
steamer 313, crafts 1,275 coal 16,
024,000 bushels, sand 5,000 bushels,
gravel 19,500 bushels.

The sand and gravel now going up
stream is being used in lock con-
struction at Lock No. 4 and some at
No. 6, and for the construction of a
new school building at Morgantown,
W. Va.

DR. TEMPLE TO SPEAK FAVORABLE TO OPTION

Former Congressman Accepts In-
vitation of Governor Brumbaugh to
Make Address Next Tuesday—Lo-
cal Representatives State Positions.

Dr. Henry W. Temple of Wash-
ington, former congressman from
this district has been requested by
Governor Brumbaugh to speak in
the interests of the pending local
option bill at the conference on this
measure called by the governor at
Harrisburg on next Tuesday. Dr.
Temple has accepted the invitation
and will appear in an address show-
ing why the executive's option mea-
sure, to which he pledged himself in
his campaign for election, should be
passed.

Representatives H. R. Myers and
T. H. H. Brownlee of the Washing-
ton county legislative delegation
will support the governor's local op-
tion bill. Both have not hesitated
to state their position and have in-
formed Governor Brumbaugh of
their intentions. Representative G.
P. Baker has not committed himself,
and it is not known how he will vote
when the measure is presented in the
house of representatives.

Miss Coffey Now Head Nurse
Miss Edna Coffey of Pittsburgh has
taken the position as head nurse at
the Charleroi-Monessen hospital un-
der Miss Genevieve Daby, the in-
perintendent.

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Enormous Rainfall in Hawaii.

The rainfall on the island of Hawaii, during the month of March, was the heaviest in the history of the island. The total rainfall was 33.1 inches, a record for the island. The rainfall was distributed throughout the month, with the heaviest falling on the 15th and 16th. The rainfall was caused by a combination of factors, including a strong trade wind and a low pressure system. The rainfall was beneficial to the island, as it helped to replenish the water supply and to grow the crops.

The Ever Present Cases Belli.

Judge—What's the row between this man and woman? Policeman—You see they're married and— Judge—Was there any other reason for the fight? Philadelphian—No.

Paradoxical.

He—You have not a week now to think over my proposal of marriage. She—Yes, and the more I think of it the less I think of it. Bostonian—Why?

Cynical Wit.

Less brains are required to say, "I don't differ with most people that I say brilliant kind words." The cynic will be easiest and cheapest.

Military Music.

"No one in time of peace can understand what war is," writes Rev. Charles E. Jefferson in the Woman's Home Companion. "We may prepare for it, but we do not realize what it is we are preparing for. Military preparations are quite interesting, even exciting. Boys and girls are always fascinated by the paraphernalia of battle. Never have the instruments of war been so intricate and sparkling as now. All the trappings of the military world are alluring."

"Military music is full of piercing notes, which set the corpuscles of the blood dancing. But military music is not the music of war. The music of war is the groans of wounded and dying men and the sobs of broken hearted women. Military music is one of the embroidered veils thrown over the face of war to make boys think that war is glorious."

A Mulberry Tree Legend.

The mulberry, "wisest of trees," as Pliny termed it, really "likes" London and fruits profusely even in the grounds of the Charterhouse, at murky Smithfield. London mulberry trees are mainly derived from a lad of James I. who wanted to found a silk growing industry. With the proverbial folly of a pedant, the British Solomon introduced the black mulberry, disliked by silkworms, instead of the white variety, which forms their food. The black mulberry had been planted by Cardinal Pole at Lambeth in 1533, and there were still older specimens in the garden of Syon House. According to a pretty Greek legend, all mulberries were originally white, but a mulberry tree was growing beside "Ninus's tomb" when Tyranus and Thasie died there, and the blood of the lovers turned the fruit to its present color.

AMONG THE THEATRES

COYLE-CHARLEROI

Two films in the Paramount service were featured at the Coyle theatre this week. The first was that of Tuesday in the appearance of Gaby Deslys in "Her Triumph," and the second on Thursday in "The Bachelor's Romance," with John Emerson in the leading role. Gaby Deslys' marvelous accomplishments as an actress and as a dancer were shown up in this her first appearance in moving pictures splendidly. In "The Bachelor's Romance" John Emerson portrayed a most difficult role in his own inimitable manner. "The Bachelor's Romance" is the comedy of a literary man who meets his heroine and is termed a "quaint portrayal of a tender love." Manager Coyle is announcing in his Paramount program for next Tuesday, the film "The Warrens of Virginia."

PALACE-CHARLEROI

"It's bully," said Theodore Roosevelt after witnessing the play, "A Gentleman from Mississippi," and people who viewed the filmed version of the same play with Tom Wise in the featuring role at the Palace on Wednesday of this week agreed heartily with the noted ex-president. The play was one of the leading features of the entire week at the Palace and a large audience was attracted there. It was one of the famous Schubert features. On Monday Manager Barnhart presented in his Alliance program, Max Figman, supported by Lolita Robertson in "Jack Chanty." In his vaudeville program Manager Barnhart had some star acts in Parish and DeLuc, refined comedy, singing and dancing, Russell and Russell a pair of rith makers and Ben and Hark, in a high class novelty act.

MAJESTIC-CHARLEROI

To its string of moving picture houses, Charleroi had another added this week in the Majestic, a splendid and commodious theatre located on Fallowfield avenue between Fifth and Sixth streets. Hepler and Mathews two popular young business men own the new house and the manager is J. H. Megown. Well arranged, with large comfortable seats and a beautiful interior it attracted large crowds on the first day of the opening. The Majestic, which promises to rank as one of the leading moving picture houses of Western Pennsylvania, had as its dedicatory production, "A Fool There Was," with Robert Hilliard in the leading role. With the best projecting machines made and a gold fibre screen the play was shown up in splendid effect. However this was not the only picture, and others shown were among the best. Altogether the opening was one to please, and the Majestic promises to be a most popular place.

LYRIC-CHARLEROI

At the Lyric theatre this week Manager Pennman presented some photoplays that were unusual in point of interest. On Monday he had as a big feature a five reel Acme film, "The Last Dance." Also on the same day he had "Out of the

Storm," a Lubin drama. Among the week were "A Knight's Adventure," "Billy's Wager," and "His Romany Wife." Vitagraph, "A Man of Parts." The latter of these two was a comedy. The ever popular Charley Chaplin was shown for the second time at the Lyric in the picture, "His New Job." This proved so popular on first presentation that Manager Pennman got it for second showing. Other films of much interest during the

long time at the Star, being a western drama. On Tuesday Vivian Rich was presented in a two reel American film, "Wheels of Destiny."

STAR-CHARLEROI

An entirely new make of picture in the Ammex film was shown for the first time in Charleroi on Monday of this week at the Star. The title of the production was "The Lucky Nugget" and it was a big feature. It was reproduced in three reels, and was one of the best films shown in a

side splitter was shown. On Wednesday a feature was "The White Trail," with William Gehhart in the leading role. These were all photoplay dramas of much interest. On Thursday William Clifford was presented in "The Lost Ledge," a play of intense interest. Also a Joker comedy that was a



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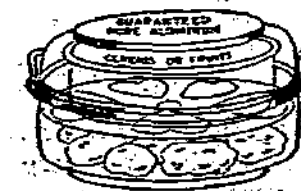


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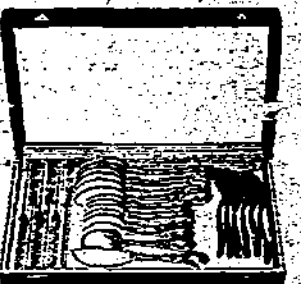
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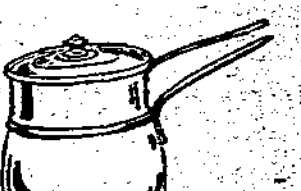
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work in a tobacco
factory. I have
been a very sick girl
but I have improved
wonderfully since
taking Lydia E.
Pinkham's Vegeta-
ble Compound and
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and feeling a thousand times better."
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ble Compound has worked like a
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were restored to health by Lydia E.
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is within reach of all.

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Now is the Time to Get Rid of Those
Ugly Spots.

Do you know how easy it is to re-
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Simply get an ounce of othine,
double strength, from your druggist,
and a few applications should show
you how easy it is to rid yourself of
freckles and get a beautiful complexion.
The sun and winds of February
and March have a strong tendency to
bring out freckles and as a result
more othine is sold in these months.
Be sure to ask for the double strength
othine, as this is sold under guaran-
tee of money back if it fails to re-
move the freckles.

AERIAL TRAIL BREAKING.

Amazing Speed and Endurance of the
Wild Swan in Flight.

It is impossible for one who has seen
only the common mute swans floating
about in the artificial lakes of city
parks to imagine the grandeur of a
flock of the great whistlers in their
wild state. In "Wild Life and the
Camera" Mr. A. R. Dugmore says the
sight is one of the most impressive in
nature. As the huge birds rise into the
air it seems as if an aerial regatta
were being sailed overhead, the swans,
each with a wing spread of six or seven
feet, moving like yachts under full
sail.

Once the swans are fairly under way
their speed is amazing, nearly a hun-
dred miles an hour, and that, too, with-
out apparent effort, for the slow wing
action is very deceptive. Their en-
durance is as surprising as their speed,
for they are said to travel a thousand
miles without alighting.

The flocks are usually led by an old
and experienced swan, and it is said
that as one becomes tired of leading,
or it might be called aerial trail break-
ing, his place is taken by another
whose strength is equal to the first,
and so they continue until they reach
their destination, the southern feeding
grounds of the winter or the northern
breeding places of the summer. Occa-
sionally they stop to rest in the region
of the great lakes. Not many years
ago, while on their way north, a large
number stopped above Niagara falls,
and more than a hundred were by
some extraordinary mischance carried
over the falls and killed in the surg-
ing waters.

Whether the swans prepare in any
special way for their southward jour-
ney is not known, but before starting
north they indulge in the curious habit
known as "ballast-ing"—that is to say,
they eat great quantities of sand, for
what purpose no one knows.

In the faraway Arctic ocean is their
breeding place, and it is believed that
they mate for life. As with so many
of the water birds, the swans protect
their eggs with a covering of down
scratched from their own breasts, so
that when the birds leave the nest the
two to six large, yellowish eggs are
hidden from the eyes of possible
chances and protected against any sud-
den changes of temperature.

It is many years before the swans
are clothed in the feathers of immatu-
rate whiteness that make them such
conspicuous objects of beauty. Not
indeed, until the fifth year does all
trace of gray disappear. Their first
feathers are entirely gray. Gradually
they lighten, becoming mottled with
white, the neck and head remaining
gray until after the body is completely
white.

What Shall Fire Be Like.

I have read many attempts to de-
scribe hell fire in a battle, but not one
to equal the easy description of this
young officer, who does not pretend to
be a stylist. Listen:

"You hear a boom miles away, hard-
ly audible in the distance. Then a
faint sigh, gradually rising to a scream
as the shell whizzes toward you. Then
a flash, an immense crash and the air
is filled with thousands of bullets and
jagged lumps of iron, each making a
different sort of shrieking noise. Then
phit-phit-phit everywhere as they hit
the ground.

"This is shrapnel."—London Sketch

A Regular Gadder.

A lady bought some furniture at an
auction sale in Glasgow the other day.
On paying the porter she remarked:
"Had I known how dirty that furni-
ture was I would not have bought it."
"Well, ma'am," replied the porter,
"it was the dirtiest house I ever saw;
but, there, what could ye expect—the
mists was only at home every Tuesday.
Ah, ken it fer a fact, 'cause I read it on
a card I gat in that drawer there."—
Glasgow News.

The Sick Man of the East.

The phrase "the sick man of the
east" originated in a speech of Czar
Nicholas to the British charge d'affaires
at St. Petersburg at the time of the
Crimean war. He said: "We have
on our hands a sick man, a very sick
man. It would be a great misfortune
if one of these days he should slip
away from us before the necessary ar-
rangements have been made."—Argo-
naut.

Perfect Happiness.

Grubbs—What is your idea of perfect
happiness? Stubbs—Well, if my wife
would stop telling me what she thinks
of me, and I had the privilege of tell-
ing my respected employer what I
think of him it would seem about
right.—Richmond Times-Dispatch.

The Man and the Machine.

"How many votes did you get?"
"Not nearly as many as the other fel-
low," said the man who is always phi-
losophical. "You see, I had to depend
entirely on my own efforts for my
votes. His were machine made."
—Washington Star.

Consistent.

Brown—Why is your daughter going
to talk against the permanence of a
republic in that college debate? Smith:
—Because she thought the advocacy
of a republic would not go well with
her new empire gown.—Brooklyn Cit-
izen.

Perfectly Proper.

"I am afraid this company is doing
business on an inflated capital."
"Yes, but then it deals in automo-
bile tires."—Baltimore American.

Take care that no one hates you
justly.—Strus.

Pretty Expensive Steak.

The highest known price ever paid
for beefsteak was at Circle City, Ala-
bama, a town that sprang up almost
in the night during the Klondike gold ex-
citement. The first steak to reach
there sold for \$45 a pound. It was a
ten pound steak and was sent from a
point fifty miles away. It was placed
on exhibition and was such a curiosity
that all the miners turned out in a
body to see it.

Of course every one wanted a piece
of the precious meat, and the prices
offered might have resulted in a gen-
eral mining camp quarrel had not some
one thought of raffling the steak for
the benefit of a hospital which a bishop
was trying to establish for the min-
ers at Circle City. Bids started at \$5
a pound and rose quickly to \$35. At
last, in order to avoid possible trouble,
it was decided to sell tickets at prices
ranging from 50 cents to \$2.50 for the
privilege of drawing a slice. After
\$450 worth of tickets had been sold
the drawing began, and to the relief
of those in charge of the enterprise no
serious consequences resulted.—Detroit
Free Press.

Read Your Books Again.

Let me implore any reader who has
a fairly large library of his own and is
honestly anxious to know what his
books contain to devote some period of
leisure to go through these volumes,
shelf by shelf, as they stand, to learn
which of them he can remember well,
which are half read or unread. What
pleasure and profit he would find in
recalling the poetry he once so enjoyed
or in turning to such essays as he had
hitherto overlooked. He would find, I
am sure, that the very things he long
wanted to know, the poetry that had
almost faded from his memory, the
bursts of eloquence and prophecy that
had stirred his youth, now grown dim
in his mind as "an ancient tale, al-
though the words were strong." All
this had stood silent and unnoticed on
his walls for years and years, while
he had been studying himself with the
last short story, the lives of royal
laundry women or it may be an article
in a magazine.—Frederic Harrison.

Germs and All.

A Louisville woman who is some-
what of a crank on hygiene and who
brings up her small daughter accord-
ing to the latest methods took the child
on a day train to a nearby little town.
The mother staid as she glanced at
the dusty velvet seat and cloudy win-
dows. The younger, however, folded
her manicured fingers in her white
plaque lap and apparently tried to ab-
sorb as little dirt as possible. Looking
up from her magazine, the immaculate
parent was horrified to find the small
daughter's jaws working violently.

"What have you in your mouth?"
she demanded at once.
"Gum," said the child.
"Where did you get it?" gasped the
mother.

The child pointed to a clean, round
spot on the grimy window sill.
"There," she said.—Louisville Times

Cost of a Horse.

It costs on an average \$104.06 to
raise a horse to the age of three years
on the farms of Indiana and those of
other states. This price has been care-
fully figured by experts of the depart-
ment of agriculture, who based their
figures on those furnished by 10,000
correspondents scattered throughout
the country.

New Mexico can raise horses cheap-
er than the other states, or at an aver-
age price of \$69.50. In Massachusetts
the raising of colts is more expensive
than in any other state, the average
horse at three years representing an
investment of \$141.90.

Not to Be Repeated.

Shakespeare's contention that "there
was never a philosopher who could en-
dure the toothache patiently" was dis-
proved by Canon Liddon. After an ex-
perience that would have closed the
mouths of most of us, Liddon found it
possible to write to a friend: "I have
been quite laid up with trouble with
my few remaining teeth, of which I
had five taken out the day before yes-
terday. As only four remain, this par-
ticular experience cannot be repeated
in this present life." This is a classic
instance of the triumph of philosophy
over pain.—London Globe.

The Atlantic Coast.

The eastern edge of the North Amer-
ican continent is overflooded by the
sea, and that is why the water near
the coast is so shallow. To find the
true edge of the great continental land
mass one would have to travel some
thing like eighty miles due eastward
from New York.

Lincoln's Rules of Life.

I am not bound to win, but I am
bound to be true; I am not bound to
succeed, but I am bound to live up to
the light that I have. I must stand
with anybody who stands right—stand
with him while he is right and part
from him when he goes wrong.—A.
Lincoln.

Geranium Oil.

Geranium oil is largely used in per-
fumery and is known as rose gerani-
um, owing to the common practice of
adding rose petals to the plants before
distillation.

Floating Bridge.

Two bridges in a city in India are
supported on large metal tanks, which
float on the water and accommodate
themselves to its rise and fall.

Some Paradoxes.

The dumb man saw a wheel and
spoke; the deaf man saw a flock and
herd; the blind man bought a plane
and saw.

The Time to Break It.

There is an anecdote in some volume
of French theatrical memoirs narrat-
ing an experience of Mme. Claron, the
great tragic actress, with a pupil of
hers, a girl of about a colored girl for
the ustronomic art. I at first frequent
and too exuberant to let herself be
so when the pupil was about to appear
before the public in a recitation Mme.
Claron found the girl's arms to her
side by a stiff hand and set her thus
upon the stage.

With the first strong feeling she had
to express the pupil tried to raise her
arms only to be restrained by the
teacher. A dozen times in the course of
her recitation she was prevented from
making the gesture she desired until
at the very end she could stand no
longer, and in the climax of her emo-
tion she broke her bonds and swung
her hands to her head.

When she came off the stage she
went humbly to where Mme. Claron
was standing in the wings and apolo-
gized for having snapped the thread.

"But you did quite right," said the
teacher. "That was the time to make
the gesture, not before."

When Earthquakes Come.

That animals are sensitive to the ap-
proach of earthquakes is a fact fre-
quently observed, and the more re-
cent earthquakes in various countries
have given numerous examples of this
fact. In Japan, for instance, the
fact that many animals possess
this faculty is well known. In Japan
they set up an unusual agitation whenever a
seismic shock is near at hand. In Cen-
tral America dogs and cats flee from
houses, and the inhabitants have be-
come so accustomed to this that they
follow the example of the animals and
leave their dwellings so as to escape
danger.

In Italy it has been observed that
birds left their nests and flew up to a
great height in the air, not this with
out more before the earthquake took
place. However, at the time when
the earthquake shocks were produced
the birds uttered cries which lasted
for all the duration of the earthquake.

It is asserted that in Sicily cocks
crow and dogs howl just before an
earthquake.—Chicago News.

Power of the Supreme Court.

"The supreme court of the United
States" writes Christian Bonnet in
Case and Comment, "exercises a pow-
er which we think is unique in the
world, to pass upon the constitutionality
of the statutes enacted by con-
gress. It may thus suspend the execu-
tion of the resolutions lawfully adopted
by both houses.

"The French courts have the right to
interpret the law. They cannot refuse
to do so under pretext that the law is
not clear or that it is silent or inap-
plicable. By so doing the judge
commits himself to a misdeed called
denial of justice, and he is punished
by a fine and deprived of all civil
rights for a period varying from five
to twenty years. But no court in
France, not even the court of cassa-
tion, has the power to decide whether
a law passed by congress is unconsti-
tutional or not."

Two Kettles of Water.

Sir Robert Hart, speaking of mar-
riage and death customs in the In-
dian, told a story of a great Chinese
scholar and high official who said that
the foreign way of letting the young
people fall in love and choose and the
Chinese way of first marrying and
then making acquaintance reminded
him of two kettles of water. The first
—the foreign—was taken at the boiling
point from the fire by marriage and
then grew cooler and cooler, whereas
the second—the Chinese—was a kettle
of cold water put on the fire and
grew warmer and warmer, "so that," said
his friend, "after fifty or sixty years
we are finally in love with each other."
—Exchange.

Why He Was Careful.

A man who believed in pedestrian-
ism coaxed a friend to accompany him
on a little jaunt. Every time they
crossed the road his friend looked first
one way and then the other and re-
fused to budge if there chanced to be
a motorcar in sight.

"It's all well enough to be careful,"
said the pedestrian, "but you seem to
have let automobiles get on your
nerves."

"I've good reason to be careful," an-
swered his friend. "The insurance
policy I carry is void if I get run over
by one."—Judge.

The River Indus.

The river Indus is wide during the
year may vary by miles. Traffic for
long distances cannot be guaranteed
because the river shifting channel
throws up mud flats and sand banks
here and overwhelmed good land there
in a manner which defeats the wisdom
of the ancient boatmen.

Gastronomic Health.

"I'm, what is eaty?"
"Eat, my boy, is what your mil-
lions of uncles feel every time they
hear you begging your mother for a second
piece of pie."—Detroit Free Press.

The Object.

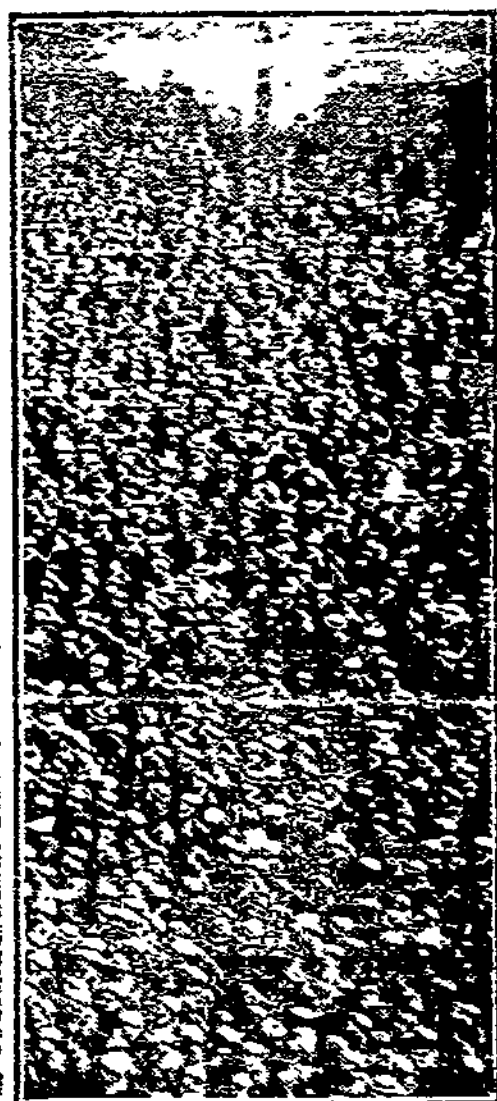
"Why do you write articles on how
cheaply people can live if they try?"
"In the hope of getting enough mon-
ey to avoid having to live that way."
—Washington Star.

Romans and Beards.

The ancient Romans considered it
effeminate to wear beards. All their
best, representing the famous men of
olden times, are without beards.

No weather is ill if the wind be still,
—Spanish Proverb.

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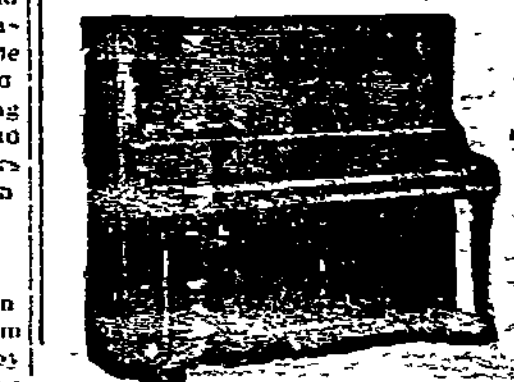
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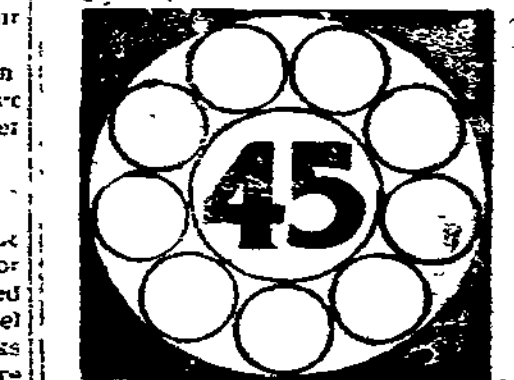
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A GOOD LAW

With its prohibitions in the traffic and use of opium and like narcotics, excepting under the strictest regulations, the Harrison Drug act is calling forth condemnation. Yet it has only been in force one month. The condemnation comes largely because of sympathy with regular users who have undergone the tortures of the damned since their supply was cut.

If there is any one argument stronger than another why the law should remain it is that of the present suffering of the drug victims. None but they can realize its horrible intensity. To do without their narcotic is to them a living death.

The suffering has shown up to an extent we did not think possible. Suicides have been numerous reported. Torments that can be compared to nothing but the torments of hell have been endured from its discontinued use.

If it is impossible for men and women to obtain the drugs, there will be no danger of them beginning their use. It is the future generation for which we must be concerned, though still sympathizing with these pitiful wretches of victims. We can sympathize with the horrible examples, but must prevent their number from increasing. That is the purpose and intent of this law.

ERRORS

One Monongahela valley newspaper man, when taken to task for errors that crept into his newspaper used to remark that the mistakes of doctors were buried and the mistakes of lawyers sent to jail, and little said of it, but that the mistakes of a newspaper were always subjected to the dazzling light of publicity. Some such idea seems to have been in the mind of the editor who wrote the following for the Beaver Daily Times:

The capacity of some people for detecting errors in the newspapers is marvelous. Also it is singular how many unexpected meanings these people can find.

If the reporter writes that a man wore a coat of such and such a character, some one may call up and ask if the coat was all the man had on. To satisfy these literatists, you must enumerate item by item the other articles of attire, or they will accuse you of making the victim appear half naked.

The reader, who digests his paper in the quiet of his home, feels that he has shown great brilliancy if he detects an error in grammar or capitalization. It is one thing to find mistakes at your leisure in another man's work, quite another to turn out high degree of accuracy and precision in the haste of newspaper composition.

The banker makes blunders in his figures, the lawyer draws up incorrect papers and the business man submits erroneous bills. Such blunders are known only to the few persons whom they concern. The newspaper man is like the actor on the stage, whose slightest slip is manifest to all and seem ridiculous.

It would be perfectly possible to produce a newspaper having the same high degree of accuracy as the best edited magazine. But this would either cost twice as much for a more costly force, or else the scope and field of the newspaper would have to be reduced and less matter printed. The public would not pay the bills in the first case and it would not be satisfied with curtailment of service. So the newspapers struggle along as best they can in their eternal effort to accomplish that impossibility, a snap shot of daily life that shall be permanent and absolutely truthful history.

The newspaper man is not offended

when he is jollied on such mistakes as creep in. He merely wishes the critics could have his job about one week.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

April fool jokes were quite in order Thursday and all sorts of witticisms were tried. One of the best related was that of a joke played on a business man who is a notary public. He was summoned to a telephone.

"Hello, are you a notary public?" came from the other end of the line. Informed in the affirmative, a request was made for the notary to come to the Wilbur hotel to take an affidavit. To that point he went, only to be informed his man had just gone to the Charleroi hotel. After him to the Charleroi hotel he hurried, and was there informed he had gone to another hotel, and so on. The joke was discovered only when the notary thought of the date.

A correspondent of the New York Sun, who recently visited a classmate who has a farm in Connecticut rhapsodizes as follows:

"I swapped clucks with the chickens; I knew their language, the corn call, the nest notes, the whole poultry palaver.

"I mooed to the cattle and grunted at the sociable swine.

"I gripped the grips of a plough and ran a ruminantious furrow.

"I forgot my sedentary fat; I leaped, I sprang, I ran, I snuffed the air, I tore the earth.

"I lay on the ground and absorbed the strength of a continent.

"I shared the impulse of the fallow soil, the germinant seed.

"I flowed with the river, I swam on the clouds.

"I swung the singing axe to cleavage of sapless logs. The saw sang, one song for oak and another for maple, and I made close harmony with the clean kerf.

"I became as a god, forgetting metropolitan evil and knowing the good of the sweet, soothless air. I was glorious with Antean strength, intoxicated in lungs, cell and muscle. "Come, O ye deskmen—proclaim your emancipation. Come with me. Back to the Land!"



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Finest quality serge, fast color

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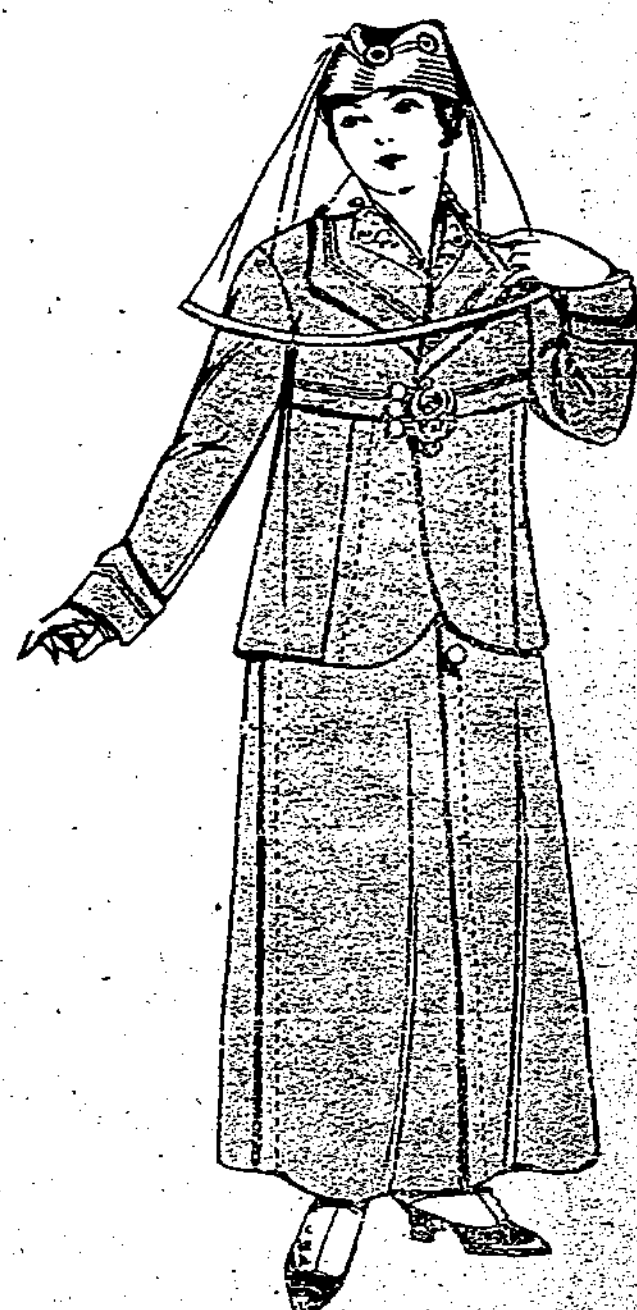
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Ladies' Spring Coats

\$12.50 values **\$9.95**

Alterations in time for Easter



Electric Sparks

Gifford Pinchot got his start as distributor of provisions to French sufferers when he was conservation expert.

Men too busy to extend sympathy to others sometimes find that others are too busy to extend sympathy to them.

Abe Martin asks: "What's become of th' old time workman who spit on his hands?"

Lumber is going up, but then that's what it for.

Davy Lloyd George and the Czar of Russia are what might be called temperance issues.

Father, dear father, come home with me now. The clock in the steeple strikes two. Mother has gone to the suffragette club. And the baby has swallowed his shoe.

—Exchange

Countries at war are much concerned about Uncle Sam's actions. If they were half as much concerned

about their own actions, there might not be any war.

Some people consider the Mexican situation of last week a good theme for editorial utterance, but really it sounds like a dead issue.

It might help a much vexed legislature to elect a florist as a member

The Latest in Easter Jewelry



BUYING jewelry is a matter of confidence. Few people can accurately determine for themselves the value of gems or gold and silver things. Therefore it is important to know the store you buy from.

We stake our reputation upon the quality of our goods. Buy from us—it means satisfaction and economy. You will know that your jewelry is perfect—that you have obtained what you paid for. We are anxious to satisfy.

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We bought an Eastern manufacturer's sample line of guaranteed German Silver Mesh Bags, the latest 1915 designs, in flowered silk, kid lined and unlined, in small link mesh, patent link mesh and soldered link mesh, neat engraved frames.

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Miss Minnie Elliott was tendered a pleasant surprise Thursday evening, when members of the Westminister Guild of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church gathered at her home at 205 Lookout avenue in honor of her approaching wedding. The bride-elect was led to a wishing well following out an old-time custom and legend which is that every wish of the bride be carried out. The affair took the nature of a miscellaneous shower and Miss Elliott received numerous beautiful presents.

COULDN'T SEE WITH ONE EYE; REFUSES TO VOUCH

Because A. Kauboru, a Lincoln avenue foreigner could see with but one eye after a mishap at the home of another Lincoln avenue foreigner, Akem Smalle was freed from guilt in connection with the alleged attack on Kauboru at a hearing before Burgess Woodward Thursday evening. Three others were fined. Kauboru alleged they wanted him to play cards for money and when he declined they set upon him. Someone struck him in the eye, it seems, and he lost count of the number in the party and couldn't vouch for Smalle.

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Mrs. James Ogden of Eldora Sues North Charleroi Borough and Mercantile Bridge Company Each For \$20,000—Husband Killed in Fall.

Jennie Ogden, widow of James P. Ogden of Eldora, has filed two suits for damages, one against the borough of North Charleroi and the other against the Mercantile Bridge Co. The latter owns and controls the Charleroi-Monessen bridge over the Monongahela river. In each action the claim is for \$20,000.

Both suits grow out of the death of the husband of the plaintiff, who was fatally injured on April 10, 1914, when he slipped and rolled over an embankment at the approach to the bridge in North Charleroi borough. He fell a distance of about 30 feet, receiving injuries that caused his death.

The borough and the bridge company are alleged to have been negligent in failing to provide and maintain upon the right of way to said bridge, which the public was permitted to use as an approach to the bridge a fence, sidewalk, rail, wall or other barricade for the use of the pedestrians using said right of way.

At the time or just prior to the ac-

cident the husband of the plaintiff was walking along the right hand track of the Pittsburgh Railways Co., which right of way it is set out was used as an approach to the bridge. When a street car approached him from the rear, he stepped off the track to allow it to pass. Where he stepped was on the top of a narrow embankment. When he stepped on this embankment he slipped and fell, as a result of the embankment giving away.

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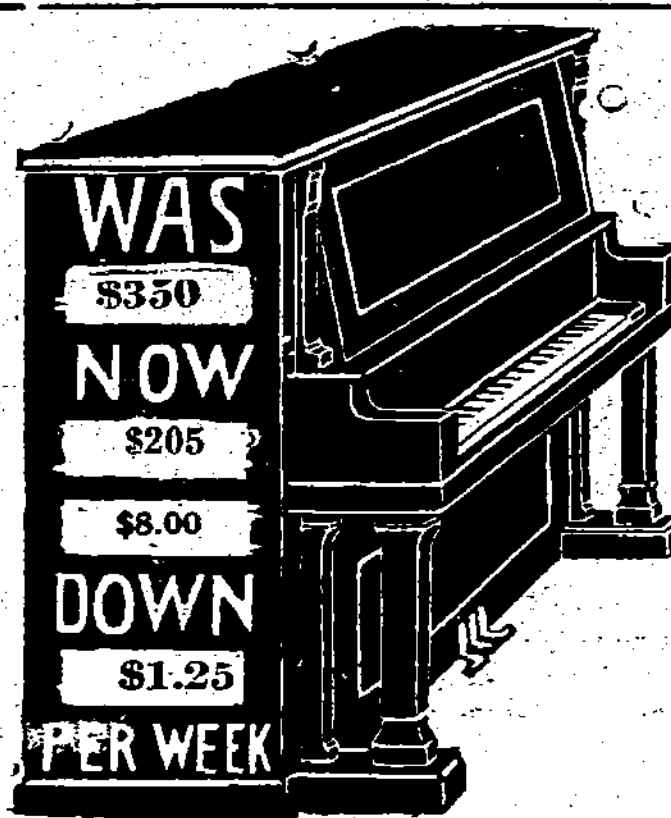
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The infusion of coffee presents practically very little material that is of direct nourishing value, says a writer in the *London Tablet*, but by diminishing nervous fatigue, by virtue chiefly of the caffeine present, it may increase muscular power. It is not itself a builder of tissue. The use of coffee after dinner, it is of interest to note, is justified in a large number of cases by the fact of its stimulating effect upon the vital centers, and it is said to serve to some extent as an antidote to alcohol.

It is commonly claimed to remove drowsiness. As a matter of fact, in many subjects it produces drowsiness, but this is usually followed by marked wakefulness. The practice of drinking coffee after a meal for the sake of the stimulus which is experienced has much to be said in its favor dietetically.

There is no reason for supposing that coffee possesses any value as a food. The berry contains a quite important proportion of fatty substances (12 per cent average), but these are necessarily excluded from the infusion, as, owing to their insolubility, they remain in the "grounds."

According to our analysis, the protein contents of a cup of coffee are small, approximating to 1.25 per cent of the coffee extracted. This amount can have little dietetic significance. There is also a trifling quantity of sugar present, besides traces of alcohol, which again can possess no importance from a physiological point of view.

WOOD FOR VIOLINS.

Maple Is the Best and Is What the Old World Famed-Makers Used.

In the finest violins the body is made of white maple. In cheap ones violet ebony is used. In medium priced ones alternate leaves of the two are employed. The best wood of all is that of the poplar, a tree resembling a fir in general appearance, which grows in central and northern Europe, but musical instrument makers set special value on that from the Vosges mountains. Its wood is most homogeneous and has the advantage over all others that there is scarcely any difference between the sap wood and the heart.

Violet ebony, which comes from Brazil, Africa and India, is much used for pianos. True ebony is now so expensive that it is reserved for out and twisters.

Sycamore maple, somewhat less homogeneous than white maple and hence less sonorous, is employed chiefly in making mandolins.

The wood of trees from high altitudes and a severe climate is much better than that from plains and warmer countries for all purposes in which sonority is desired. And it should have had not less than 200 or 300 years of growth, and its concentric circles should be no more than two or three millimeters apart.

The ancient violin makers, Stradivari, Amati, Guarnerius and the others, used the finest and best seasoned maple, and this, with their perfect varnish, is why their violins have lasted so long.—*New York World*.

The Seven Wise Men of Greece.

The seven wise men of Greece were Thales of Miletus, Periander of Corinth, Cleobolus of Lyndas, Chilon of Lacedaemon, Solon of Athens, Bias of Priene and Pittacus of Mitylene. Some fishermen of Miletus sold a draft of fishes to a bystander. When the net was drawn in it contained a golden tripod, and the purchaser claimed it was his, while the fishermen contended that they sold only the fish that might be in the net. The dispute was referred to the oracle of Delphi, who awarded the tripod to the wisest man in Greece. Thereupon it was taken to Thales, who declined it and suggested that it be given to Bias. He in turn refused to accept it, and thus it was successively declined by all the seven, and they were thereafter known as the seven wise men of Greece.

Beltane.

In the highlands of Scotland and in Ireland May 1 was called Beltane. This was the name of an ancient pagan festival, traces of which have survived to this day. The name is still used for May day in Gaelic Scotland. It is said that the druids on that day used to make two fires with great incantations and drive their cattle between them as a safeguard against disease.

Every Move a Picture.

"That movie star spends all his time in bed when he isn't acting."

"Is the work, then, so awfully arduous?"

"No, but he can't bear to stand around in elegant poses that he isn't being paid for."—*Pittsburgh Post*.

The Only Way.

"I done wore out three foote of a graveyard rabbit in de hopes of good luck comin' my way," said Brother Williams, "an' I des 'bout come ter de conclusion dat de only way ter git dar is ter go ter work fer so livin'."—*Atlanta Constitution*.

Appropriate Emblem.

"You women ought to organize a society for the encouragement of pickpockets."

"What do you mean?"

"And adopt as your insignia the dangling hand bag."—*Louisville Courier-Journal*.

"What you do for an ungrateful man is throw away."—*Latin Proverb*.

PICTURES OF BATTLES.

Warfare Has Always Been a Popular Subject For Artists.

From the earliest days of history war has given inspiration to the artist, and the work of his hands comes down to us on the walls of ancient Egypt, worn with the passing of thousands of years; from the ruined temples of ancient Greece, built centuries before the Christian era. The picture writing of primitive and savage peoples describes exploits of war; many archaic war pictures, brought to view after ages of burial under desert sands, bear much similarity to Indian drawings of our own near time and land.

Once, years ago, away up on the Poplar river, in Montana, I bought—bartered for, I suppose I should say, as the purchase was made mainly by the medium of tea, tobacco and sugar—a "painted" robe right off the back of the war chief of a band of Yanktonais. Some of our troops had "rounded up" and brought into the agency. The skin was a fine "black bull," tanned on the underside to the softness of the finest chamois leather and decorated with naive pictorial representations of the deeds of war of old Kill-Them-In-A-Hole—as the soldiers translated the name given the chief from some episode in his murderous career—which in color, in grace and firmness of line were curiously like pictures from the pencil of some artist of the Egypt of old.

The glory of war is the theme; the exultation of the sovereign, the conqueror, forms the chief motive of the war picture of antiquity. The monarch was the hero before whose terrible sword all foes gave way, to whom victory came through his personal might and prowess. The warriors of the Greeks are shown as models of virile strength and grace; their attitudes in the fury of combat lost nothing of artistic beauty in the realism of the rendering. The influence of the Greek masters of their art is evident in battle pictures of a time two score and more centuries later.—Rufus Fairchild Zogbaum in *Scribner's*.

MEDIEVAL PUNISHMENTS.

Queer Old Laws of England That Have Never Been Revoked.

Although the stocks, like the pillory and the ducking stool, have been done away with, a lot of punishments survive in England which are every bit as medieval.

The most ludicrous of these exist in the two services—the army and navy—which were renowned in the past for the cruelties practiced in them in the name of justice. "Keelhauling" as carried out in the navy used, of course, to amount to execution by drowning, while in the army "running the gantlet" was a popular way of punishing troublesome soldiers.

Here is another queer punishment which never has been removed from the statute book. If you are motoring or driving in England beware lest you run over anybody, for if you do so and cause his death your motorcar or carriage can be confiscated. Even a falling tree that caused the death of a human being can be taken from its owner.

The strangest punishment which still survives under modern law in England is that of "outlawry." Only a few years ago—in 1896 to be exact—a lawyer charged with forging a check was "outlawed" in the Glasgow high court. By this sentence the person of the accused is declared forfeit. He cannot bear testimony in a court nor sue nor defend another. He cannot act as a jury nor vote at an election nor act as tutor or guardian to another person. If any one robs him he has no redress. If any one kills him it seems rather doubtful if that person can be hanged.—*Pearson's Weekly*.

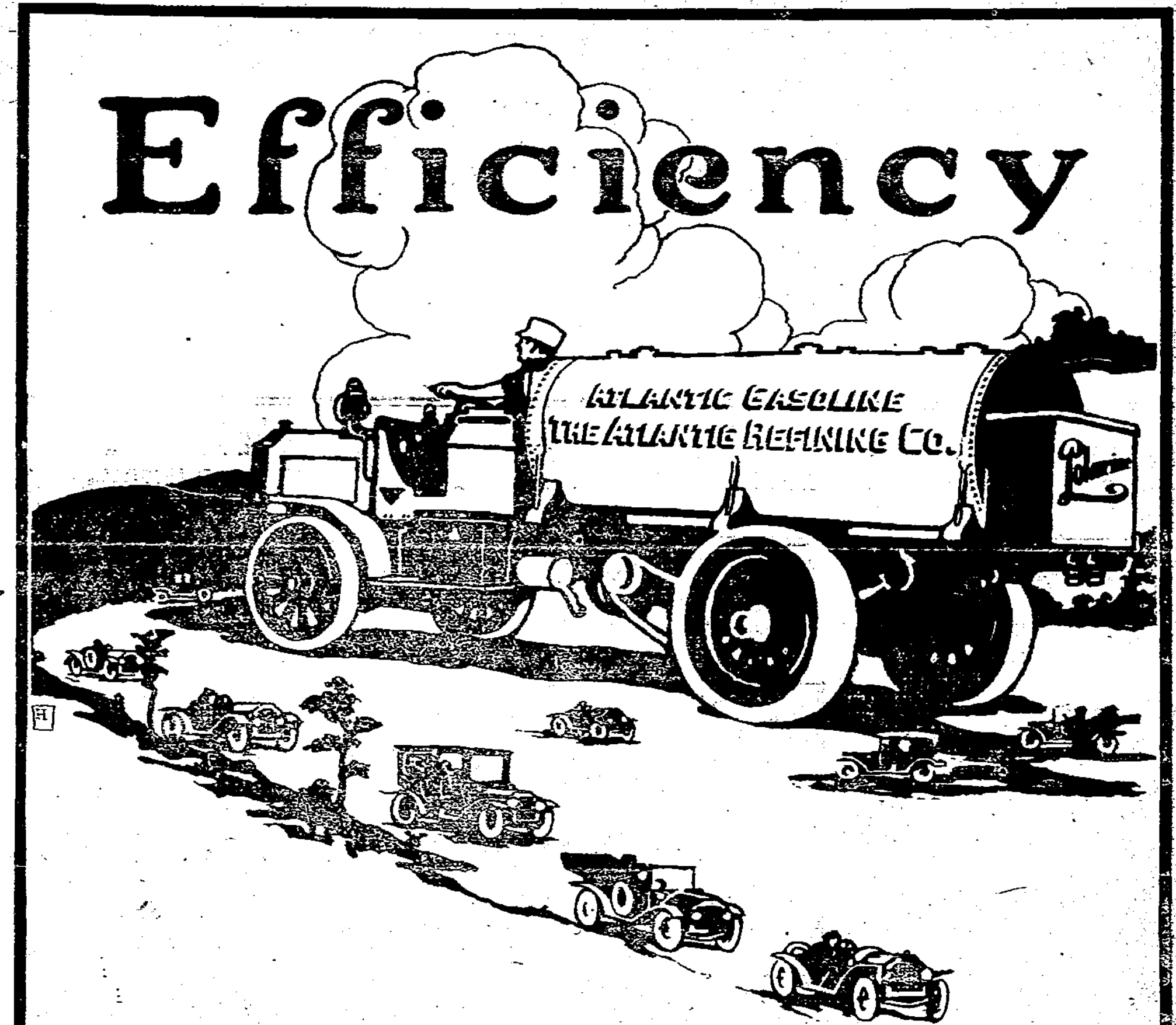
One of New York's Tiny Streets.

New York has some queer streets, and Edgar street is one of them. It has been built up solidly on both sides from end to end for generations, but it has no numbers, and no one lives on it, and no one does business there. The letter carrier never stops. It has only one door, and that is kept locked and never used. Fifteen long steps take one along the sidewalk from one end to the other. Queer little thoroughfare is Edgar street, lying between Broadway and the Hudson, below Rector street, in oldest old New York.—*New York World*.

THEATRES

ALVIN—PITTSBURG.

"The Passing Show of 1914" will be the attraction at the Alvin Theatre next week—the same being a return engagement of the most important of the Winter Garden attractions. During the week at the Alvin there will be nine performances of "The Passing Show"—six evenings and three matinees. The matinees will be on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, the Wednesday and Friday matinees being at popular prices. While a musical comedy, travesty and extravaganza all rolled into one, and referred to as "a reeling riot of resplendent revelry," a good part of each "Passing Show" is devoted to burlesques on the more important dramatic successes of the time. Some of the dramas travestied in "The Passing Show" are "Peg O' My Heart," "Kitty McKay," "Seven Keys



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to Baldpate," "The Yellow Ticket," "Help Wanted" and "Omar Khayyam." When the "Show" returns to the Alvin on Monday night it will be discovered that there has been no changes made in the cast. All the old favorites will be on view.

GRAND—PITTSBURG.

During the week beginning April 5, (Easter Monday,) Messrs. Harry Davis and John P. Harris will provide vaudeville diversions for

patrons of the Grand Opera house which rank with the world's highest class amusement. There will be nine individual attractions in a composite show each afternoon and evening that will run the gamut of variety. From his punishment at St. Helena and the tomb at Versailles, the great Napoleon will rise again and stalk across the stage in the story of "The Drummer of the 76th." The "Little Corporal" will be symbolized by the characterization of Mr. Harrison

Brookbank, an English actor of distinction who won a notable triumph in the role of Banaparte in the opera of "The Purple Road." An altogether different offering will be presented by the Five Annapolis Boys, a quintet of naval graduates in a scenic operetta entitled "On a Cruise to the Land of Harmony." The music and lyrics are by George Batsford. The Meyakos Sisters, two wonderful little Japanese girls, will do some marvelous things showing strength, poise and

skill. Brit Wood, a young man from the Southland, will entertain with stories and songs commingled with dancing and some extraordinary harmonic playing. Nat Nazarro's superior company of athletes, which has just completed a three months' engagement at New York Wintergarden, will show their supremacy in a series of somersaults. Quite an array of other attractions, besides moving picture comedies, will be offered in connection with the acts here described.

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A Pretty Compliment.
The "three beautiful Miss Gunning" were in their day—which was after the middle of the eighteenth century—such famous beauties that the London crowd often followed their carriages on the street and fairly mobbed any shop they were known to have entered in the effort to get a sight of them. The handsomest of the trio, worn out by the activities of the London season, stayed for a time in the country near a market town. It was known in the neighborhood that she wished to pass unnoticed and was not well, and her wish was respected. But on the day of her departure from the town there was an unusual number of people at hand to see the coach start. As the lovely lady stepped from the front door to the step of the coach the branch of a climbing rose caught for a moment in her hair. Instantly a voice called from the crowd:

"No names, my lady, and no staring, but three cheers for the queen of beauty that the roses crown of themselves!"

They were given with a will and won the response of a radiant face at the coach window and a gracious hand waving farewell.

Eggs Hatched in Rice.

John Chinaman had a method of hatching eggs artificially many generations before there were any white men in America to begin to think about providing a mechanical substitute for the mother hen. And John Chinaman is still using his ancient method and refuses to purchase the newfangled incubator. The Chinese poultryman takes a quantity of unhatched rice which he has roasted. This is heated until it is lukewarm. A three inch layer of warm rice is spread into a tub, and a layer of eggs is placed thereon. Another layer of rice is added and another layer of eggs and finally a last layer of rice over the fifth layer of eggs. About 500 eggs are placed in a tub. Once each day the eggs are removed, the rice heated and the whole repacked. The tub is kept well covered to keep in the heat. In the course of three or four weeks the chicks put in their appearance.—American Boy.

How Napoleon Dressed.

Napoleon was always simple in his dress and generally wore the uniform of his own guard. He was clearly rather from habit than from liking for cleanliness. He bathed often—sometimes in the middle of the night—because he thought the practice good for his health. But, apart from this, the precipitation with which he did everything did not admit of his clothes being put on carefully, and on gala days and full dress occasions his servants were obliged to consult together as to when they might snatch a moment to dress him.

He could not endure the wearing of ornaments. The slightest constraint was insupportable to him. He would tear off or break anything that gave him the least annoyance.—Memoirs of Mme. de Remusat.

Peeps and the Otacousticon.

As far back as 1693 experiments were being made with what servants called an "otacousticon," which brought distant sounds to the ear and was a faroff promise of the "long distance" and "wireless" messages of today. Samuel Peeps was abroad in those days, and, of course, he saw the new toy, tried it and mentions it in his diary. He went with Lord Brouncker to the Royal Society, and "here, to my great content, I did try the use of the otacousticon, which was only a great glass bottle broke at the bottom, putting the neck to my ear, and there I did plainly hear the dancing of the oars of the boats in the Thames to Arundel gallery window, which without it I could not in the least do."

Court Room Retort.

Two young attorneys were wrangling for a long time before Judge Knox of Virginia over a point of law. His honor rendered his decision, and the sprig who had lost impudently remarked, "Your honor, there is a growing opinion that all the fools are not dead yet." "Certainly," answered the court, with untruffled good humor: "I quite agree with you, Mr. B., and congratulate you upon your healthy appearance."

Badly Matched.

Mrs. Yeast—This paper says the matching of colors has been brought down to an exact science by the invention of a machine for the purpose.

Mr. Yeast—You ought to get the people who run the store where you buy your hair to get one of those machines, dear.—Yonkers Statesman.

Very Trying.

"Dear sir," wrote the anxious mother, "I am afraid Johnny is not trying enough."

"Dear madam," replied the harassed teacher, "I assure you that Johnny is trying enough. He is the most trying boy in the class."

Power of Beauty.

Beauty gets the best of it. Poets, humane organizations, sentimentalists make a great to-do about the bird that dies to adorn a woman's hat. But who has any sympathy for the hen whose neck is wrong to make a people?—Don Marquis.

A Philippines Custom.

When a young woman of the Philip-
pines marries her husband's name is added to her maiden name. If she becomes a widow the husband's name is discarded.

The man who was born with a talent which he is meant to use finds his greatest happiness in using it.—Goethe

TREE A GIGANTIC PUMP.

One Elm Found to Raise 260 Barrels of Water a Day.

Professor Pierce tells of a Washington elm which possesses 1,000,000 leaves exposed to a foliage surface of five acres, which gives off to the air 200 barrels of water every summer's day, and that this tree is located near paved streets and cement sidewalks.

The question arises, Where does this vast amount of water come from? It is assumed that many city trees perish from lack of water owing to water tight pavement and water tight sidewalks.

In answering this question it must not be forgotten that the roots of any tree, especially the elm tree, extend a long distance, thus encroaching upon the lawn soils adjacent, the sidewalks and the streets.

It must also be remembered that there are many subterranean springs existing in cities and towns as well as on farms.

Notwithstanding these explanations we wonder at the capacity of this big tree to gather moisture to its roots, partly rooted over by city pavements. It illustrates the fact that there is much yet to be learned about root growth and tree growth generally.

After being told that one tree throws into the air 200 barrels of water every summer's day we may get some idea of the reason for the coolness of the air in the forest or beneath shade trees growing in the field or upon our lawns. Shade trees are indeed more productive of coolness on a summer's day than would be a gigantic fan.—Fruit Grower.

ANCIENT "WIRELESS."

An Old Roman Carrier Pigeon Station Still Stands in France.

A few miles north of Marseilles and within easy walk of the tram to Aix-en-Provence lies a typical Provencal village that tourists usually miss. It was founded by the Romans during their occupation of the south of France and is built in accordance with the customs of that time. The houses appear to be perched on top of each other, but on closer inspection are found to be built on ledges on a hillside.

This hill is the most interesting feature of the place. What appears as a solitary crag is in reality a castle, the towers, fortifications, etc., being cut out of the solid rock and forming a fortress, practically impregnable in those days. At the side of the castle is a round tower, about forty feet in height and seven feet in diameter.

The interior of this tower acted as the "wireless station" in Roman times. The interior consisted of a series of pigeon lofts, from which the birds, bearing messages, were sent direct to Rome.

The whole of the interior was constructed of a very hard cement, which, with the wear of ages, is now slowly decaying, and only one perfect "loft" now remains. There was accommodation for about 250 pairs of birds, together with an abundant water and grain supply, the attendants being quartered in the castle.—Wide World Magazine.

The Long Bamboo.

An Englishman was once rallying a native of India upon his faculty in using the native "at-once" replied: "Why, sahib, we are all more or less liars in my country, and if one tells a story another immediately caps it. There were two young men of my country who had a boasting match, and one said, 'My father is so rich and has so many horses that his stable is of such extent as to take a horse eleven months to go from one end stall to the other.' 'Shabash, brother,' replied the second boaster, 'that is very good. My father has a bamboo so long that he can sweep the clouds away with it when they obscure the sun in harvest time.' 'Hi, hi,' exclaimed the first, 'That is very wonderful, but, pray, brother, where does your father keep such a long bamboo?' 'Why, you stupid, was the answer, 'in your father's stable, to be sure.'"

Not Unnatural Inquiry.

Dorothy has a baby brother who has recently been ill, cutting his first teeth. The baldness of the baby's head had caused Dorothy great anxiety. She stood at the mother's knee one day gently patting the little head. "Be careful, Dorothy," said the mother. "You know poor little brother is ill. He is cutting his teeth." Dorothy patted the bald head reflectively. "Mamma," she said, "will it make him ill when he cuts his hair?"—Exchange.

Locating the Fire.

"Where was the fire in town last night?"

"I think it must have been the library."

"What makes you think that?"

"Well, I heard the smoke was issuing in volumes."—London Telegraph

Different Suits.

Father—I see in this expense account: "Fourteen suits, \$1,000." You didn't pay that much for fourteen suits of clothes. Son—No; two of 'em were damage suits.—Exchange.

Vociferous Apparel.

"Dat's a purty loud suit yer got on, Weary."

"Yes, it belonged ter a man dat was deaf."—Boston Transcript.

Horse and Giraffe.

It takes a good horse to run down a giraffe, and if the least advantage is permitted the wild creature the race is lost.

DIGGING A POST HOLE.

He Worked Faithfully and Cheerfully, but Lacked One Essential.

He was a vigorous worker, and he was digging a post hole in the end of a river. A post was to be placed in it as part of the extension of a wharf.

He worked hard and got rapidly deeper and deeper.

He struck stones, but he re-bred down and pried them up.

He got thoroughly soaked, but he grinned cheerfully.

He sang at his task and was an inspiration to all the other workmen.

Five o'clock came, but he faithfully finished his post hole, though it took him ten minutes longer. He was no time server.

Then he climbed, dripping, out on the bank and walked home, nappy in the consciousness of good work accomplished.

But he did not put a post into the post hole, and when he came back the next morning he found the hole filled again with mud and completely obliterated.

However, he cheerfully went to work again, singing as he labored, and dug the hole once more.

And the company paid the bill.

Moral—Cheerfulness is good, zeal is better, but a bit of brain is best of all.—Christian Endeavor World.

SECRET OF SUCCESS.

Be Efficient and Do Things That Other People Do Not Do.

A man has a weary time awaiting to rise in the world by force of sympathy, by getting somebody else to pull him along. You see such people standing around expecting compassion and a lift from some who have succeeded.

But this is not the way success is attained. That comes by working for it, by being worthy of it, by doing one's best, if it comes at all. The world is full of failures because a man hangs back and depends upon others.

Efficiency is the greatest word in the language. There is no real progress without it. And what does efficiency consist of? Of sobriety, honesty, diligence, patience, nappiness, unselfishness, good habits and putting in full time.

Of course a man can get rich by not caring for these. He can gamble, steal, defraud, pad payrolls and expense bills, borrow money and never pay. But such riches don't last. They drop a man pretty hard finally.

The only way is to start out in the world and do one's best without waiting to see what others do. As Steinmetz, the master electrician, said: "To earn \$100,000 a year do things other people don't do."—Ohio State Journal.

Volcanoes and Disease.

Many strange and exaggerated accounts have been given of terrible diseases in human beings, lower animals and plants as a result of volcanic activity. In a prize essay by Dr. H. J. Johnston, Laval, it is shown that there is no direct connection with disease, but that volcanic outbursts may indirectly cause or increase epidemic disease in several ways. The poisonous fumes may have irritating and depressing effects on the eyes and throat. The disturbance of water courses may bring about the infection of wells and surface supplies with sewage, and interference with ventilation of houses may result from the accumulation of ejected materials. The moral depression from fear, with hunger from the cutting off of food supplies, may have the effect by lessening the resistance of the organization to infection.—Exchange.

Keeping His Secret.

When Lord Wellington was commander of an army in India a certain rich man offered him \$500,000 for some secret information on a very important question. Wellington looked thoughtful a few moments, as if he were weighing the temptation. At length he said:

"It appears that you can keep a secret, sir."

"Certainly," said the man, feeling sure that he had gained his point.

"So can I," said Wellington. "Good morning, sir." And the man went away with a crestfallen air.

Forethought Defined.

The children had read the word fore-sight in the reader, and the teacher was endeavoring to make it plain.

"Fore-sight," she said, "is looking ahead. Now, Freddie, you give me an example of fore-sight if you can."

"Well, fore-sight would be not to eat too much breakfast when you knew you were going out into the country to your grandmother's for dinner," explained the boy.—Indianapolis News.

Cheerfulness.

Wonderous is the strength of cheerfulness and altogether past calculation its powers of endurance. Efforts to be permanently useful must be unfailingly joyous—a spirit of all sunshine—graceful from very gladness—beautiful because bright.—Carlyle.

Hera.

"I suppose that you and your wife are two souls with but a single thought."

"That's about the situation, but about half the time she will not tell me what that thought is."—Philadelphia Record.

Big Page.

Stout Wife—How do you like my masquerade costume? I'm a page. Husband—Page? You look more like a volume.—Princeton Tiger.

In conversation confidence has a greater share than wit.—Robertson.

EASTER SHOWING SPRING WEARABLES

Time's short—so buy them here and have them for Easter wear.

More of those pretty Spring Suits and handsome Coats came in yesterday by express. Suits, Coats and Waists that yesterday's shoppers did not see. New York's newest modes for your Easter selection—and "Smart Style Week" gives you an unusually large assortment. Hundreds of others are taking advantage of Style Week—why not you?

Easter is 'most here—but our ready-to-wear department is at your service.

Spring Suits, \$9.75 to \$45. Coats, \$5 to \$25.

See Our Easter Millinery

Berryman's
CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

ALLENPORT TEAM DEFEATS ROVERS ON OWN FLOOR

The Allenport team defeated the Rovers on the Allenport floor Wednesday evening in a fast game. Line-up:

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| Allenport—28 | Rovers—15 |
| Wolfe | F. D. Oates |
| L. Phillips | F. Girard |
| W. Phillips | C. Furnier |
| Balmer | G. Ludwig |
| Tippins | G. Fiedler |

Substitutions—McGuire for Fiedler, Lentz for Furnier, Furnier for McGuire. Field goals—Wolfe 2, L. Phillips 2, W. Phillips 3, Oates.

Girard 2. Fouls—L. Phillips 14 of 20, Oates 9 of 20. Referee—Scheil-er.

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John Bull gave John Barleycorn a shove down the cellar steps. But Czar Kick simply kicked him down the entire flight.

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By this method, the work being more systematically handled, the concrete being all mined by machine and the latest and best methods of the Concrete and Cement age being used, the sidewalk presents a more uniform appearance, the work can be more reasonably done and will give better service.

As much care should be taken in making sidewalks as in the paving of streets. Don't miss this opportunity. Office 616 Long Alley, rear of Parke Trading Stamp building. P. O. box 376.

COURT SETS ASIDE SALE OF DANIEL KEENAN PROPERTY

In the estate of the late Daniel Keenan, the court has set aside the sale of a lot fronting 25 feet on Crest avenue, Charleroi, and extending back 120 feet, to Paul Argenson for the sum of \$700 and an alias order of sale, granting permission to the administrator to sell the lot again has been made. The above price was bid by Paul Argenson at the sale of the property, but when the administrator made demand for the payment of the purchase money, it was refused. After an investigation it was found that Argenson has no property and that there is no way of compelling him to pay the money.

Notice

The Imperial Glass company will buy no more old papers after this week. 230-41

Married at 12, a mother at 13, a widow at 16, remarried at 20 and a grandmother at 29 is the record of a Georgia girl. When was she a girl?

BOY FALLS DOWN STEEP BANK; LEG IS BROKEN

Victor Santani Suffers Severe Injuries When He Tumbles Over Embankment Near Local Bridge.

Victor Santani, aged 9 years, of North Charleroi is in the Charleroi Monessen hospital suffering from a fractured left leg and minor bruises and injuries sustained when he fell over an embankment near the Charleroi end of the Monessen-Charleroi bridge Thursday afternoon. Santani by accident lost his balance while playing in the vicinity of the bridge.

ANSWER IS FILED IN LOCAL CLAIM CASE

In the suit of the Charleroi Brewing Co., against Georganna Coles, executor of the estate of William Coles, late of Charleroi, a claim for a bill of goods sold for the use of the bar at the hotel conducted by Mr. Coles the answer to the rule for a bill of particulars has been filed. The respondent says she is advised and believes she is not required to file a bill of particulars.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our friends for their deeds of kindness and sympathy shown us during our bereavement in the loss of husband, father and grandfather and we also desire to thank the Self Denial Sunday School class of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church and other friends for their flower offerings.

Mrs. Gustave Fourmanoir & Family. 230-11p

TODAY ONE OF SOLEMNITY IN THE CHURCH CALENDAR

Today is a solemn one in the church calendar, commemorating the death of Christ on the cross. In observance of the day solemn services are being held at St. Jerome's Catholic, St. Mary's Episcopal, Christ Lutheran, Methodist Episcopal, Baptist and other churches of town. The banks are closed.

CIVIL WAR DRAMA TO BE SHOWN AT COYLE TUESDAY

The Lasky-Belasco production of "The Warrens of Virginia," with Blanche Sweet in the leading role, is a most extraordinary lesson in the sufferings of war. Though the battlefield scenes are filled with heroism and dash, one is forced to bear in mind the domestic tragedies of this strife of brother against brother. An oil painting of Miss Blanche Sweet, who takes the leading part in this drama, is being displayed in the window of Weltner's pharmacy.

Buy a box of delicious home made Easter eggs and candy for Easter. Made by the girls of the Queen Esther Circle. On sale Saturday afternoon at Frye's Hardware Store. 230-41

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TO WORK
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Part of Your Business Equipment Is
Your STATIONERY
Supply.

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HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS ARE ENTERTAINED AT A SUPPER

Miss Mabel Gaut is Hostess at Prettily Appointed Affair—Prof. Grimm Toastmaster.

Miss Mabel Gaut, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gaut, was hostess Thursday evening to a prettily appointed supper at the Hotel Walfrid the guests being the members of the Senior class of the Charleroi high school and the high school faculty. The supper was one of a number of social events being given by members of the class.

An elegant turkey supper was served. Favors were chocolate candy eggs, each bearing the name of a member of the class.

S. R. Grimm, principal of the high school was the toastmaster and speeches were made by William Booth president of the class, Superintendent T. L. Pollock, Miss Pauline Collier, Prof. J. T. Daniel and the hostess, Miss Gaut. Music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wheeler.

PERSONALS

L. W. Collins was a Pittsburg visitor Friday.

R. MacKay Jameson a student of Mercersburg academy is spending the Easter vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jameson of Lincoln avenue.

Albert Wilson a student of State College is spending the Easter vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilson.

Cardon Jameson of State College is visiting with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jameson.

James Wagner, who attends State College is spending the Easter holidays with his parents Mr. and Mrs. George W. Wagner. He was accompanied home by his room-mate Clarence Stormseltz of Lancaster, Pa.

Arch Mason of Youngstown, O., is visiting with friends and relatives in Charleroi.

Mrs. Herbert Mason of Youngstown, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Martin of Washington avenue.

Camp Fire Girls Take Hike.
Thirteen members of the Camp Fire Girls club hiked about three miles into the country Thursday afternoon where they prepared supper over a camp fire.

CLASSIFIED!

LOST—Letter on Crest avenue, between Second and Third street or on Third street. Finder kindly return to address on envelope. 230-11p

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. Apply J. Haas, 515 Fallowfield avenue. 230-4f

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room. Inquire 490 Mail office. 214tfp

FOR RENT—Store room at 619 Fallowfield. Apply at Martucci Barber shop. 223-4f

FOR RENT—Five roomed house. Inquire 507 Crest avenue. 2256f

FOR SALE—Single comb Rhode Island Red, eggs for hatching. Also brooding hen. John J. Henrion, 1103 Lincoln avenue. 227-46p

WANTED—To rent a six room house in down-town district. Four of a family, no children. Tenant will take excellent care of property. Address 487 Mail. 2284fp

FOR SALE—Cheap, well equipped, latest machinery, steam laundry. Good routes. Must sell at once. Reason, sickness. Address L. N. Butler, Box 531 Monaca, Pa. 228-66p

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework. Inquire 401 Lookout avenue. 230-43

FOR SALE—Ten room boarding house complete outfit. Established trade. Bargain for quick buyer. Failing health cause of selling out. 1033 Schoonmaker, Monessen, Pa. 229-13p

WANTED—Pastry cook. Apply at Casino Restaurant. 229-42

FOR SALE—Scottish collie dog. Inquire 738 McKean avenue. 229-13p

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply L. Collins, 218 Washington avenue. 229-4f